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SUBJECT: PRESS REPORT ON CONVICTIONS REGARDING CUBAN
CONSUL KIDNAPPING

1. THE SUMMARY OF MEXICO PRESS REPORTS PREPARED BY USICA
MEXICO ON JUNE 28 CONTAINED THE FOLLOWING ITEM ON PAGE
EIGHT. BEGIN QUOTE: DISTRICT COURT JUDGE RAUL MURILLO
DELGADO SENTENCED BEGIN UNDERLINE GASPARIO EUGNIO MENDEZ
AND LORESTES RUIZ HERNANDEZ, END UNDERLINE CUBAN CITIZENS,
TO PRISON ON THEIR CONVICTION ON CHARGES OF HOMICIDE,
ATTEMPTED HOMICIDE, KIDNAPPING, VIOLATING ARTICLE 101 OF
THE GENERAL POPULATION LAW, AND CARRYING WEAPONS. THE TWO
CUBANS ATTEMPTED TO KIDNAP CUBAN CONSUL IN MERIDA DANIEL
FARREL IN JULY OF 1976. EL HERALDO (PAGE 11), EL SOL
(PAGE 8), UNIVERSAL (PAGE 12). END QUOTE.

2- AS EMBASSY IS AWARE, THE GOM HAS REQUESTED EXTRADITION
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OF GASPAR JIMENEZ ESCOBEDO AND GUSTAVO CASTILLO, PRESENTLY
DETAINED IN MIAMI, IN CONNECTION WITH WHAT APPEARS TO BE
THE SAME INCIDENT MENTIONED ABOVE. DEPARTMENT WOULD
APPRECIATE FURTHER INFORMATION REGARDING COURT PROCEEDINGS
REPORTED BY MEXICAN PRESS, TERMS OF SENTENCES AND IDENTITY
OF INDIVIDUAL CUBAN CITIZENS MENTIONED IN ARTICLE. CHRISTOPHER

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